

BEFORE THE TENNESSEE REGULATORY AUTHORITY

NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE  
August 5, 2002

In Re: *BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.'s Entry Into Long Distance  
(InterLATA) Service in Tennessee Pursuant to Section 271 of the  
Telecommunications Act of 1996*

Docket No. 97-00309

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ORDER ESTABLISHING THE ORDER OF WITNESSES

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The witnesses in this proceeding will be presented in the following order:

**BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc. ("BellSouth"):**

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| 1. | <b>John Ruscilli</b>  | Overview of BellSouth's case for all Checklist Items; Track A Compliance |   |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 1   | Interconnection   |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 6   | Local Switching   |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 13  | Reciprocal Compensation   |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 14  | Resale  |
|    |                       | Public Interest  |   |
| 2. | <b>Ron Pate</b>       | Checklist Item 14  | Resale (OSS)  |
| 3. | <b>Milton McElroy</b> | Checklist Item 14  | Resale (OSS)  |
| 4. | <b>Ken Ainsworth</b>  | Checklist Item 14  | Resale (OSS)  |
| 5. | <b>Jerry Latham</b>   | Checklist Item 4   | Unbundled Local Loop Transmission (xDSL-capable Loops)          |
| 6. | <b>Tommy Williams</b> | Checklist Item 4   | Unbundled Local Loop Transmission (Line Sharing/Line Splitting) |
| 7. | <b>Keith Milner</b>   | Checklist Item 1   | Interconnection   |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 4   | Unbundled Local Loops Transmission                              |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 5   | Local Transport   |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 6   | Local Switching   |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 8   | White Page Listings   |

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|    |                       | Checklist Item 10 | Access to Databases and Associate Signaling     |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 11 | Number Portability                              |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 13 | Reciprocal Compensation                         |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 14 | Resale  |
| 8. | <b>David Scollard</b> | Checklist Item 6  | Local Switching (Usage Information for Billing) |
|    |                       | Checklist Item 14 | Resale (OSS Billing)                            |
| 9. | <b>Al Varner</b>      | Checklist Item 14 | Resale (OSS)                                    |

#### Intervenors<sup>1</sup>

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|----|----------------------|-------------------|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. | <b>Terry Murray</b>  | <b>(COVAD)</b>    | Checklist Item 4                           | Unbundled Local Loops Transmission |
| 2. | <b>Colette Davis</b> | <b>(COVAD)</b>    | Checklist Item 4                           | Unbundled Local Loops Transmission |
| 3. | <b>Cheryl Bursh</b>  | <b>(AT&amp;T)</b> | Performance Measures (all Checklist Items) |                                    |
| 4. | <b>Denise Berger</b> | <b>(AT&amp;T)</b> | Checklist Item 1                           | Interconnection                    |
| 5. | <b>T. J. Sauder</b>  | <b>(Birch)</b>    | Public Interest                            |                                    |
| 6. | <b>Joe Gillian</b>   | <b>(SECCA)</b>    | Public Interest                            |                                    |

The parties have stipulated to Checklist Items 3, 7, 9 and 12 and to the issue of compliance with Section 272. Therefore, the parties will not be presenting evidence on these issues at the Hearing commencing on August 6, 2002.

BellSouth asserts that the parties have agreed to stipulate into the record the testimony of Wayne Gray and Edward Mulrow.<sup>2</sup> BellSouth has agreed to so stipulate Sherry Lichtenberg and Greg Darnell, witnesses of MCI WorldCom Communications,

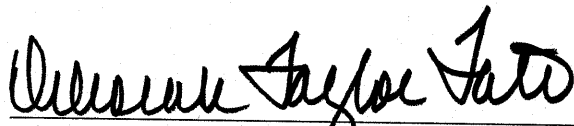
<sup>1</sup> The *Witness List of Intervenors* filed on August 2, 2002 does not identify all of the parties joining in this filing. Dieca d/b/a COVAD Communications Co. ("COVAD"), Birch Telecom of the South, Inc. ("BIRCH"), AT&T Communications of the South Central States ("AT&T"), and the Southeastern Communications Carriers Association ("SECCA") are presenting witnesses.

<sup>2</sup> BellSouth has not specifically identified the parties entering into this agreement.

Inc., MCIMetro Access Services, Inc. and Brooks Fiber Communications of Tennessee, Inc. (collectively "WorldCom").<sup>3</sup>

**IT IS THEREFORE ORDERED THAT:**

The witness list as set forth in this Order is hereby adopted.

  
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Director Deborah Taylor Tate  
Pre-Hearing Officer

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<sup>3</sup> See Transcript of July 30, 2003 Pre-Hearing Conference, p. 48.